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## WEATHER

Partly cloudy tonight, Thurs.; slightly cooler south portion.

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## COUNTY TAX SURVEY VOTED

### JAPS PREPARE FOR VENTURE IN SIBERIA

Red And Nazi Claims On Smolensk Battle Are Exactly Contradictory

BERLIN, (UP)—The German high command reported today that the Nazi armed forces have fought the battle of Smolensk to a victorious conclusion and now are moving forward in vast new operations which have Moscow, Leningrad and Kiev as their goal.

Seven weeks of fighting, the high command said, have carried the German armies to the "gates of Kiev," the main defenses of Leningrad and beyond the Smolensk gateway on the main motor highway toward Moscow.

## Counter Action Claimed

MOSCOW, (UP)—Private advices from Russian sources said today that Soviet troops have thrown back strong German forces "a considerable distance" from the city of Smolensk on the central front. The advices were said to have been received direct from Smolensk which was asserted to be still in Russian hands.

## By UNITED PRESS

A Japanese threat to Siberia appeared to be building up today as Russia and Germany remained locked in titanic battles on the 46th day of the war on the eastern front. The Nazi high command issued a series of special communiques, reviewing the progress of the war to date which it described as a uniform series of Nazi successes.

The communiques claimed capture of 895,000 Soviet prisoners, destruction or capture of 13,000 tanks, 10,388 cannon and 9280 planes.

Berlin reported that Moscow was attacked with unusual severity during the night by the German Luftwaffe. However, Russian reports indicated that the city was not hit.

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### "F. R.", Churchill, Hopkins Missing

Nobody Seems To Know Where They Are Or What They're Doing

## By UNITED PRESS

Rumors multiplied in London and Washington today that Prime Minister Winston Churchill and President Roosevelt had met or were about to meet somewhere in the northwest Atlantic, but the only concrete thing to give them substantiation was the inability of the American and British officials to deny them.

If the heads of the two English speaking nations had met or were about to meet, their governments had succeeded thus far in cloaking them with secrecy.

An interesting sidelight was the "disappearance" of Harry Hopkins, administrator of the lend-lease act and Mr. Roosevelt's closest adviser in aiding Britain. He was last seen immediately upon his return to London from Russia. The American embassy in London said he was "somewhere in Britain." British sources said he would be found "where Churchill is."

His "disappearance" coinciding with the Prime Minister's inability to attend an important Commons debate, gave rise to the rumors that he and Hopkins had or were about to keep a rendezvous with the President.

Such a rendezvous could take place at sea, in a Canadian harbor, in a Canadian port, or, even in Iceland.

Dwight Douglas was in town from Georgetown Wednesday and was visiting at the courthouse a part of the time.

Ben Went was among the callers on Wednesday from Shingle.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Haldemann were here during the weekend from Yuba City visiting Mrs. Haldemann's mother, Mrs. Paul Taylor, and other relatives and friends.



"THE MAD HATTER" will be one of the special entertainment features at the County Fair, August 22 to 24. That's the name given Oscar Johnson, comedy juggler, as a result of his clever handling of boomerang hats. Johnson juggles everything from the family budget to Indian clubs and will drop into the El Dorado County Fair at the close of an engagement at the Golden Gate theater, in San Francisco. Just now, he's winding up eight months at Earl Carroll's theater—restaurant, in Hollywood.

### STATE REAPS GOLDEN HARVEST IN DEFENSE BUYING BOOM

Politically, It Is A Ripe Windfall For The Olson Administration As Deficit In State Treasury Shrinks In "Prosperity"

By JOHN W. DUNLAP  
United Press Staff Correspondent

SACRAMENTO (UP)—While it lasts, the state government is reaping a golden harvest of revenues as cash registers click merrily in the greatest buying boom in the state's history. Defense buying has been tremendous purchases of new cars, household equipment and heavy machinery has been sensational, as people with money get in the buying market before priorities and defense industries choke off available supplies. Even the silk stocking counters have been jammed as alarmed women recklessly bought up everything in sight, often disregarding the obvious fact that silk deteriorates rapidly.

The best proof of the state's temporary prosperity is the all-time record set in sales tax collections. Whereas the collection for the second quarter of 1940 was \$26,273,000 and a new high of \$29,760,000 for the fourth quarter, probable total of the quarter ending last June 30 may reach \$30,000,000.

The sales tax finances state educational costs and other things, hence the unprecedented flow of cash into the state treasury is rapidly reducing the red ink deficit. It was estimated this would have reached the \$48,000,000 mark last June 30 had not the defense drive set in. The deficit was \$39,000,000 when Governor Olson took office in 1939 but has dwindled to around \$30,000,000 at present.

From a political standpoint, the Olson camp is tickled pink at the unexpected windfall of good publicity. They are claiming that if the defense boom lasts long enough, and the normal pace of business is permitted to continue, the deficit will not only be wiped out by the end of the present biennium—June 30, 1943—but an imposing surplus piled up in excess of \$50,000,000.

In this regard, the Olsonites got an assist from the legislature, which clamped down on relief spending and saved the state between \$30,000,000 and \$40,000,000.

Finance Director George Killam was frank to state that the increase over the budget estimates is largely a matter of receiving revenues before it was expected, rather than receiving revenue which was not anticipated. And no one doubts that the pendulum will swing the other way some of these days.

Yet the magic phrase "he balanced the budget" will be a certainty next year in Olson's campaign if—1, the defense bubble doesn't burst, and—2, Olson follows out his present desire to make a campaign for a second term.

Everyone is pretty well agreed that one answer toward preventing a depression after the defense activity is to go ahead with the state's long-range building program, long neglected. Thus, by saving up all possible funds at this time, there will be a cushion from which to expend for state buildings when the crash comes.

The state's institutions, prisons and schools have lagged far behind in the past several decades. When economies were sought, the building program was just delayed another biennium. The inmates were in the minority and there was less political pressure in their behalf. But year by year, these structures have deteriorated into fire traps and deplorable housing. Rising populations have resulted in overcrowding.

A legislative committee will work out many details of the building program, not only for institutions and prisons but the housing of state offices in Sacramento, San Francisco, Los Angeles and other larger centers. Most of these towns have state offices scattered around in private and public buildings, such as the dozen or so buildings accommodating state employees in Sacramento.

Prospects for a special session of the legislature remain status quo, with the governor remaining silent and everyone else hazarding guesses. The SRA crisis has simmered down to the point where the chief worry is in Los Angeles, San Francisco, Alameda and San Bernardino counties, where the bulk of the remaining caseload exists.

There seems to be widespread sentiment for calling a session of the legislature to increase the state share of the old age pension program, thus lightening the load on counties.

Like any sensible politician, Olson is refusing to call the legislators to Sacramento for any reason unless he can be assured of unified support in advance. The five special sessions of 1940 taught the governor some valuable lessons in practical politics.

Mrs. M. S. Cossins, of Pilot Hill, was a caller Wednesday in the county seat. She was accompanied by her niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Joe E. Bettencourt and daughter, Helen, of Gridley, who are visiting with her at Pilot Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Sackett, of Placerville, are the parents of a son, born Saturday at a Sacramento hospital.

### SEWING HELP INVITED BY RED CROSS

Production Chairman Explains Work May Be Done In The Homes

The production department of the county Red Cross chapter, under the chairmanship of Mrs. Ethel Wicks, is inviting the co-operation of all El Dorado County homemakers in the furtherance of its war relief program.

The production department meets weekly on Thursday afternoons in the Guild Hall at the Episcopal Church and women interested who are unable to meet with the department may contact Mrs. Wicks at her home.

"Anyone who wishes to assist in the work may obtain supplies and do the work at her own home at such time as she has the opportunity," Mrs. Wicks said.

The goods produced by the women of the Red Cross in their production departments is really reaching war-stricken areas, too.

Mrs. Wicks has a recent report from the national Red Cross headquarters. It tells of more than a million and a quarter garments sent to Great Britain up to December 31, and more than a hundred thousand more allocated for shipment. Thirteen and a half million surgical dressings had been dispatched and another million and a half allocated for early shipment. All of this had an estimated value of \$4,039,133.

Nearly a hundred thousand layettes have been shipped. Other items include upward of two hundred thousand girls' and women's dresses, 113,000 shirts for men and boys; 92,000 socks; 31,000 operating gowns and 37,000 convalescent robes.

Materials are supplied by the Red Cross and the articles are made by the production department members. The supplies go to Britain in British ships. The garments go to the British Women's Voluntary Services and the surgical dressings go to the British Red Cross.

"Everyone who has asked for materials to assist in this work has been supplied," Mrs. Wicks reports, "and there are still more supplies available. We would like to step up to our capacity production as quickly as possible and, of course, with an abundance of willing hands the only limit on our capacity is the limit of supplies of the materials used in our work."

### El Dorado Group Assists Work

Unit Will Meet Once Weekly In Support Of Red Cross War Relief

Members of El Dorado Chapter No. 499, O. E. S., of El Dorado, met Tuesday at the home of their worthy matron, Mrs. Mary Perschke, in Placerville, and devoted the day to sewing for the Red Cross War Relief work.

The results of the day's effort were so encouraging that the group voted to meet once each week to do their bit and the next meeting will be on Thursday, August 17th, at the home of Mrs. Vera Headrick, near Shingle.

Those who shared in the first day's work were Mary Gluyas, Alice Wilson, Jane Cantrell, Irene Scheiber and Vera Headrick.

Clara Scheiber called and took work home to do and Mrs. I. Scheiber and Mrs. Headrick took work home to finish. A suit was sent also to Mrs. Ann Evans, at Folsom, to be made as a part of the work done by members of the chapter.

Sandwiches, iced tea and watermelon were served and a pleasant day as well as a good day of work for the Red Cross, was enjoyed.

Charles A. Rasmussen, justice of the peace at Lotus, was a caller in the county seat Wednesday.

G. L. Card was a visitor Wednesday from Rescue.

### Freed After 27 Years



Chester B. Duryea, 70, has become a free man again after escaping trial for 27 years because of legal insanity in the slaying of his father, Gen. Hiram Duryea. The 1914 murder indictment was dropped by New York authorities because, they said, of inability to assemble evidence. Duryea was ruled sane in 1940 and entered a "not guilty" plea.

### GUARD UNIT TO MARCH MONDAY

2 Platoons Of Placerville Company Will Go By Bus To Sacramento For Parade

El Dorado County's unit of the State Guard will be represented in the state American Legion convention parade at Sacramento Monday afternoon by two platoons.

The company will be transported to Sacramento and return in buses of the county high school district. The state having obtained the use of the buses from the governing board of the high school.

Since participation in the State Guard is primarily upon a voluntary basis at this time, it was not known immediately how many men might be able to arrange to make the trip to Sacramento. T. S. Marlor, captain of the unit, said that the announcement of the parade had been enthusiastically received by the unit and that the number of men who had expressed themselves as being in favor of making the trip to Sacramento guarantees two platoons of the company in the parade.

Within the recent past, the company, which drills regularly on Thursday nights, has been drilling also on Tuesday night so as to become more proficient in handling the rifles recently issued to the company.

Tuesday night's drill is reported to have been an especially vigorous one and some of the company confessed it was "a good workout."

### SOAP BOX DERBY BOWLING TOURNAMENT WON BY HANLEY AND CANNON

The Soap Box Derby Bowling tournament at the Pear Bowl wound up Saturday evening with Ernest Hanley and Lloyd Cannon as the top pair.

With handicaps based on two-thirds of the difference between the bowler's average and 380, the meet attracted wide interest among bowlers.

Hanley's average is 145 and he bowled 188. Cannon's average is 135 and he rolled 185 for a total of 373 pins which, with a 67-pin handicap, set up a total of 440 for the others to shoot at.

They shot, but their aim was not good.

### Angels To Appeal To Landis In Mayo Case Ruling

LOS ANGELES, (UP)—David C. Fleming, president of the Los Angeles baseball club, today prepared an appeal to higher authorities in the case of Eddie Mayo, suspended one year because of allegedly spitting at an umpire.

Fleming said he will appeal to the national executive committee and then to Judge K. M. Landis, baseball commissioner, if necessary. He said he might fly east with Mayo to appear in person.

### SUPERVISORS BUDGET \$5,000 FOR RE-APPRAISAL OF ASSESSMENT VALUES

Review Will Be Conducted In Co-Operation With County Assessor And State Board Of Equalization, It Is Indicated

The Board of Supervisors took action Tuesday afternoon authorizing a re-appraisal of the county for assessment purposes and budgeted \$5,000 to cover the cost of the work.

County Clerk Arthur J. Koletzke, affirming the board's action, said Wednesday morning that on the suggestion of the board no minute order of the action had been made pending conference with District Attorney Henry S. Lyon as to the proper form of the order. It was suggested that the order might be in the form of a resolution.

Unofficial discussion appeared to indicate that the board had in mind the creation of two or perhaps three members to work in co-operation with Assessor E. L. Scott.

It was suggested that since the state Board of Equalization is the ultimate administrative tax authority of the state, the re-appraisal group might include one member qualified for the work by experience in the employ of the Board of Equalization.

In the absence of the written record, details of the re-assessment survey are not at this time available.

Although the assessment roll has been under more or less constant revision by the Assessor through the years, this is the first formal re-appraisal of assessment values in the county since 1921.

The Board of Supervisors on February 9th of that year named James A. Irving, Charles F. Wood and Carl Niegel to conduct a county-wide re-appraisal.

Postmaster Ray Rosenberger, at Coloma, has them, and also Jerry Potts at Camino and Mrs. Florence Sweeney at Missouri Flat.

At Shingle Springs, the scrip books may be obtained from Supervisor Cyril Heuser.

In Placerville, the scrip books are for sale at the newspaper offices and at Murray's store, Fox Brothers, the Placerville News Company store, The Round Tent Store, Raffles Hotel, the Pear Bowl and Robinson's Pharmacy.

Water District Announces Equalization Board Sessions

According to notice given Monday by W. E. Jenkinson, secretary of the district directorate, the Board of Directors of El Dorado Irrigation District will meet as a Board of Equalization in tax matters at the district office on Monday morning, August 25th.

The Board of Equalization will convene at ten o'clock in the morning and will continue in session from day to day for a period not to exceed ten days.

Taxpayers of the district who have matters relative to assessment to bring before the board, should attend to the business during this period.

Marcella Ward Weds Robert Reeder On Saturday

A certificate filed for record with Recorder James Sweeney on Wednesday tells of the marriage on Saturday, August 2, of Robert Reeder and Marcella Ward, before the Rev. Harold Morehouse.

Formerly pastor of the El Dorado County Federated Church, the Rev. Morehouse came from his charge at Healdsburg to conduct the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Reeder are to make their home in one of the Frank Richards cottages, on Coloma Street, friends report.

Railway Brotherhoods Plan Strike Poll

CHICAGO, (UP)—Railway labor brotherhoods prepared today for a strike poll of their 1,150,000 members, and federal mediation to reopen deadlocked wage negotiations appeared inevitable.

A stalemate between management and the 19 unions produced a rapid fire series of developments yesterday, 13 days after the huge bargaining conference opened.

### WILDWOOD SUSPENDED AND PILOT HILL SCHOOL IS RE-ESTABLISHED

The county lost one district school this week and gained another.

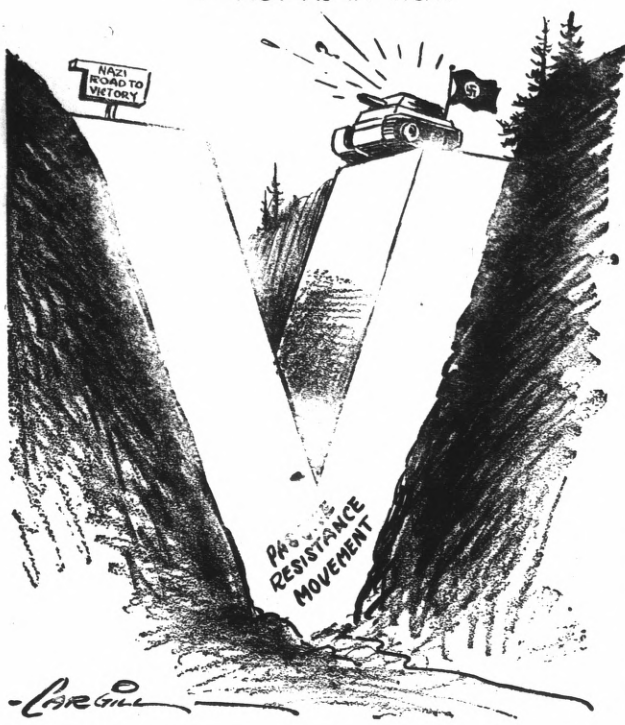
Wildwood district was suspended for lack of attendance. The Board of Supervisors re-established Pilot Hill school following a petition by residents of the district which stated there is a present attendance of eight pupils.



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## Paid ESCORT

by NELLY GRAP

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Robin Godine, rich society girl, falls in love with Cary Craig, who is paying his way through medical school by working for an escort bureau. She hires him to go about with her. He secretly loves her but because of her father, hides his feelings. Her father, John Godine, determined to break up their association, goes to see Cary's foster father, Jed Prosser, a beer-parlor proprietor who has seen better days. He discovers that Jed is Garth Warwick, once his best friend, who disappeared years ago, after Godine stole his girl from him—Robin's mother, now dead. Godine maneuvers, through Jed, to get Cary out of the escort bureau — and thus away from Robin — by secretly financing his medical training. However, Cary finally overcomes his scruples about Robin's wealth and they become engaged, with the understanding that they will not marry until Cary is established as a doctor. Godine, hearing this, withdraws the money he put up, having no wish to help Cary to his goal.

ROBIN was delighted Jed was coming. She went to her room and changed into one of her prettiest frocks—a dress that Cary had said made her look like a "sweet, old-fashioned girl." She wanted to be sure to make a good impression on Jed this time.

When he was announced she did not keep him waiting. She went downstairs at once.

As she stepped into the living room, he rose awkwardly.

"I'm so glad to see you, Jed!" she said warmly, advancing to him and extending her hand.

He took her hand and, for a moment, gazed at her without speaking.

Then, he murmured, "I can't get over how much you look like your mother—you're the image of her!"

Robin gasped. "My mother! Mr. Prosser, did you know my mother?"

Jed flushed. "I guess I shouldn't have said that. I forgot myself."

"But did you know her?"

"Er—yes."

"Tell me about it!" Robin said eagerly sitting down on the davenport and drawing Jed down beside her.

"I'm not sure I ought to," Jed said uncomfortably. "Even your mother used to say, 'Garth, you always do the wrong thing.'"

"Garth?"

"There, I've done it again! Didn't intend to tell you, Robin, but my real name is Garth Warwick."

"Why did you change it?"

"To rather not say."

"But you will tell me how you happened to know my mother?"

Jed hesitated a moment, then told her that he and her father and mother had all known each other when they were young. Once started, he found himself talking on and on, telling her more than he had intended, but he couldn't seem to stop. He told her about his invention and how her mother had helped him with it, and how her father had put money into it.

"And then—after that—you know mother married your father and I—I—lost touch with them," he ended slowly.

"So you all were children together?" Robin mused. "Grew up together." She turned and looked at Jed then laid her hand on his arm. "You liked my mother very much, didn't you?"

Jed lowered his eyes, studying his hands.

"Yes," he said, at last. "I did. It was because of her that I changed my name—because I didn't measure up to what she had expected. You see, after she married your father, well—I sort of went to seed."

Robin's eyes were bright. Then suddenly she jumped up.

"Wait here," she said. "I've something to show you!"

She left the room, and presently returned with an old, heart-shaped locket.

"This was my mother's," she said. "She left it to me."

She released the lock, revealing two old-fashioned pictures inside the case—one a girl, the other a young man.

"Her picture," said Robin. "And—is this other one you? Did—did you give the locket to her?"

Jed nodded, unable to speak.

"Here!" Robin said, impulsively holding it out to him. "I want you to have it!"

"No, no!" Jed protested, his voice breaking. "I—I hadn't intended you should know."

Robin smiled. "I have a way of finding things out," she said. "And I'm very glad that I do know!"

(To be continued)  
(The characters in this series are fictitious)

## UTILITY STAR - - - By Jack Sords

OSCAR GRIMES,  
CLEVELAND INDIANS' ALL-  
AROUND UTILITY  
STAR



GRIMES PLAYED FIRST WHILE TROSKY TOOK A SORELY NEEDED REST—NOW HE'S AT SECOND BASE IN PLACE OF THE WEAK-HITTING MACK

## On The Air Tonight

5 to 6 p. m.  
KFBK—News; 5:10 Royal Clowns; 5:15 Treasure Island; 5:30 Capt. Danger; 5:45 Ted Steele; 5:55 the Nickel Man.  
KROY—Ronnie Kemper; 5:15 Matinee Recital; 5:30 News; 5:35 Henry Busse; 5:45 Homestead Boys.  
KSFO—Millions for Defense.  
KPO—Introducing; 5:15 Charles Dant; 5:30 Brass Etchings; 5:45 Walt Time.  
KGO—Quartet; 5:15 Jose Bethencourt; 5:30 News; 5:45 Pianist; 5:55 Nickel Man.  
KFRC—Helen Barker Art Talk; 5:15 Black Flame; 5:30 Starter Parker; 5:45 Airliners.  
6 to 7 p. m.  
KFBK—Kay Kyser.  
KROY—Major League Scores; 6:10 Music; 6:15 News; 6:30 Juan Arvisu; 6:45 News.  
KSFO—Glenn Miller Program; 6:15 Studio; 6:30 Juan Arvisu; 6:45 News.  
KPO—Kay Kyser.  
KGO—Authors Playhouse; 6:30, Brass Etchings; 6:45 News Conference.  
KFRC—Announced.  
7 to 8 p. m.  
KFBK—The Quiz Kids; 7:30, Manhattan at Midnight.  
KROY—Fun Quiz; 7:15 Mohawk; 7:30 NYA; 7:45 Freddy Martin; 7:55 News.  
KSFO—Amos And Andy; 7:15, Lanny Ross; 7:30 Dr. Christian; 7:55 News.  
KPO—Music for Listening; 7:15 Harry Kogen; 7:30 the Plantation Party.  
KGO—See KFRC.  
KFRC—Gabriel Heater; 7:15 News; 7:20 War in the Air; 7:30 the Lone Ranger.  
8 to 9 p. m.  
KFBK—Easy Aces; 8:15 The Camp News; 8:30 Woody Herman.  
KROY—Fanfare; 8:30 Henry King. Baseball.  
KSFO—News Quiz; 8:30 Studio; 8:45 Music.  
KPO—Quizzer Baseball; 8:30, Mr. District Attorney.  
KGO—Easy Aces; 8:15 Camp News; 8:30 Rep. J. F. O'Connor.  
KFRC—Danger in My Business; 8:15 Will Brady Brain Battles.

## Crossword Puzzle

By LARS MORRIS

ACROSS

- Without electricity
- Religious song
- Decays
- Talk insanity
- Indian corn
- Bad
- Egg-shaped
- Mountain nymph
- Piece of glass
- Traced
- Lengthened accent
- Pieces of property
- Worthless
- Bugs
- Marrying two spouses
- Vase
- Thought
- Asserts
- Donkey
- Whiskers
- Colorer
- Complete
- Stuffed with soft material
- Foreman
- Luggage
- Account books
- Exposed to air
- Polish
- Legal document
- One of the senses
- Girl's name
- Acid fruit

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

DOWN

- Herd
- Edges of roof
- Nautical hall
- Mouth of river
- Children
- Most certain
- Mimic
- Resident agents
- Pertaining to jellyfish
- Destroyed function again
- Egg-shaped
- Prongs
- Sleighs
- Paragraphs
- Trap
- Tricks
- Evil
- Climbing plant
- Exclamation
- Series
- Father
- Before
- Total
- Kind of dog
- Poets
- Common to plants and animals
- Noblewoman
- Large container
- Happo
- Cries loudly
- Eagle's nest
- Greasy dirt
- Domestic fowl
- Come to
- Ceremonies
- Frighten
- Descendant

## TWO IN PARTY OF NINE ARE SAVED FROM DESERT DEATH

YUMA, Ariz., (UP)—A man and a girl, emaciated, sun blistered, their tongues black and swollen, lay in hospital beds today, the man struggling against the sheets and mumbling in Spanish, the girl quietly sleeping.

The man, Francisco Flores, 23, was nearly dead and all he said was "Agua, agua"—"water, water." The girl, Socorro Cornejo, 19, was better, and she had told what happened along El Camino Del Diablo—the Highway of the Devil, through northern Sonora.

Seven persons, members of her family, and friends, died of hunger, thirst and starvation along the highway—a short cut through the desert along the border—after their truck broke down. Flores and Miss Cornejo survived.

9 to 10 p. m.  
KFBK—Music in the Night; 9:30 News; 9:35 Traveling Show.  
KROY—Baseball.  
KSFO—News; 9:15 Baron Elliott; 9:30 Deep Night; 9:45 Hedda Hopper.

KPO—Fred Waring Music; 9:15, Carl Ravazzo; 9:30 The Edwards. KGO—Modern Magic; 9:40 Matty Malneck.  
KFRC—News; 9:15 Fulton Lewis, Jr.; 9:30 Griff Williams; 9:45 Teddy Powell.

10 to 11 p. m.  
KFBK—10:30 Classic Hour.  
KROY—Baseball; 10:30 Reid Tanner.

KSFO—News; 10:15 William Winter; 10:30 Red Tanner.

KPO—The Richfield Reporter; 10:15 Concert Hall Music; 10:30 Glen Gray.

KGO—Music Baseball; 10:30 Glen Hurlburt.

KFRC—Freddy Martin Orchestra; 10:30 Boake Carter; 10:45 Music Henry King.

11 p. m. to midnight  
KFBK—Orchestra Music; 11:30, Dave Marshall; 11:45 News.  
KROY—Bradley and Carter; 11:30, Manny Strand; 11:55 News.

KSFO—News; 11:10 Orchestra; 11:30 Manny Strand; 11:55 News.

KPO—Ted Lewis Orchestra; 11:30, Glen Gray.

KGO—News; 11:15 Music You Want.

KFRC—Jimmie Lunceford; 11:30, Leighton Noble.

KFRC—Orchestra; 11:30, Henry King Music.

## 4 BOYS ARE LIABLE TO SERIOUS CHARGES IN THEFT OF CAR

Four Placerville boys, two nine years old, another 12 and another 14, are liable to serious charges following the report by officers that they admit stealing a car in Placerville and taking it to Carson City.

Of course, they brought the car back, at an early hour Wednesday morning, having been gone Tuesday night with it, but that fact doesn't change the circumstance that they stole the car and took it across the state line.

Conceivably, the offense violates the Dyer act, which is a federal law relating to the inter-state transportation of stolen cars.

The car belongs to Hale Day. Officers were on the lookout for it after the theft was reported about five o'clock Tuesday. Early Wednesday morning Police Officer Orville Reinhold found the car abandoned in Upper Placerville. He immediately sought the four boys who had been seen in the near vicinity and the boys later admitted the theft.

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## NOTICE OF MEETING OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION OF EL DORADO IRRIGATION DISTRICT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That the Board of Directors of El Dorado Irrigation District will meet and sit as a Board of Equalization, for the purpose of equalizing the assessments of El Dorado Irrigation District on Monday, the 25th day of August, 1941, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. Said Board will meet at said time, at the office of said El Dorado Irrigation District, on Main Street, in the City of Placerville, State of California, and will continue in session from time to time, as long as may be necessary, but not to exceed ten (10) days, exclusive of Sundays, to hear and determine such objections to the valuation, acreage or any other matters pertaining to the assessments, as may come before said Board.

By order of the Board of Directors of El Dorado Irrigation District.

W. E. JENKINSON,  
Secretary of Board of Directors of El Dorado Irrigation District.

Reward your family with a vacation at the HOTEL MANX — San Francisco's finest located hotel... Powell at Union Square... in the very heart of the theatrical, restaurant and shopping district.

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Rates from \$2.50

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Rates from \$1.50

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# Neighborhood NEWS

## COLOMA NEWS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Beinefeld and son of Sacramento visited the Pontious family Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Fox of Placerville were guests of Mrs. Angie DeLory Thursday.

Misses Alice and Marie Gallegher spent the weekend with their folks here.

H. Charwick, an employee of long standing of the American Steel and Wire Co., Oakland, is spending a vacation at his summer home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Durham and children of Pollock Pines were Coloma visitors Sunday.

Miss N. Y. Vernon was a business caller in Sacramento Friday.

Mrs. Rose Ashley of Auburn is here to assist her brother Bob Johnson during the fruit season just starting. We understand the pear crop on all the ridge orchards is of fine quality this year.

Jack Cummings and Will Hooper were on a fishing trip at the Gerle place above Georgetown over the weekend and report good luck.

Mrs. Nellie Schultz and daughter Velma were in Oakland on business Wednesday.

Mrs. H. Gallegher and son, Melvin, Mrs. Annie Jaeger and sister, Miss Mamie Thomas and E. Thole spent Sunday at Wentworth Springs.

We are glad to note that Henry Kane was well enough Sunday to ride down to the village Sunday and visit with several friends.

The Garden Valley fire crew were called here Saturday afternoon to help with a grass fire started on the old Ben Edwards place on the north side of the river which burned over about two acres. Had these boys not gotten there it appears certain the former Chester Carver and adjoining homes would have burned.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Christie and grandson of San Francisco were calling on old Coloma friends Sunday. This is Fred's first visit in over 40 years. He was born in the old Sierra Nevada Hotel, where his parents were living in the early 80's, and left here when ten years of age. Freddie was known as a bad egg and recalls with a smile how irate victims of his pranks cautioned him the hangman's noose would surely get him if he failed to mend his ways. Old neighbors recall that one of his cute tricks was to gather up a handful of dust and sand and shower it on fresh hung wash. All is well that ends well—Fred is a good boy now.

Attendance at Marshall Park for the weekend was 340 visitors. Attendance for the month of July was 2396 visitors. We enclose a poem written by one enthusiastic visitor, copied from the Sacramento Union of recent date:

## Marshall's Monument

It was springtime in the month of May

In eighteen hundred and forty-eight,

Wild beasts were roaming the hills for prey

In the great Sierra of the Golden State.

There was lure for gold in that early day

And hardships endured while making their way,

But with courage strove on brave and bold,

While valiantly they were seeking for gold.

James Marshall was there with a shovel and pick

And was not very long in performing the trick,

When he by the old Sutter Mill did unfold

A metallic metal and it was gold!

His monument stands high on Coloma hill

About half a mile from the old Sutter mill,

With outstretched arm pointing firm and sedate

To where gold was first found in the Golden State.

A magnificent view of surroundings are there

Among trees and flowers with perpetual care,

To see this old landmark would give you a thrill

Near the American River and the old Sutter Mill.

J. R. PERRY, Sacramento

## CAMINO NEWS NOTES

Twelve Boy Scouts of Troop 87 with leader, George Burrows, and four assistants, Mario and John Federici, Hugh Schaffer and Clifford Larsen enjoyed a Beaver and Eagle Patrol swimming party at Riverton in the American River and also enjoyed a watermelon treat.

Sonora Timmons who has been in the P. G. & E. office in Berkeley has now been transferred to the Richmond office as cashier.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Collins of Highland are spending ten days with the former's mother, Mrs. Charles Huff.

Mr. and Mrs. John King and daughter Helen of Los Angeles who are spending a two week vacation at the latter's old home at Newtown were among those who attended the Timberino dance here last Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sheats and son, Otto James, left Friday afternoon on a motor trip east. They will meet another son and family, Orvil Sheats, at Salt Lake, who will accompany them back to Iowa to a family reunion and Mr. and Mrs. C. Sheats will celebrate their fiftieth wedding anniversary.

## A Brief Respite from Affairs of State



In one of his increasingly rare photos, President Roosevelt is shown playing with his favorite Scotty, Falla, as Mrs. Roosevelt knits in their Hyde Park home. There is nothing in this calm scene to indicate the stormy national and international situation with which the Chief Executive has to cope.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rose who are on their way to an eastern trip will visit Jack Burrows and family at Reno.

Miss V. Knight returned here to her sister's Mrs. Frank Lamm's on Saturday after attending the teachers' summer course at San Francisco College.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Reese accompanied by their son, Edgar and family, who were here visiting them from Sacramento, spent Friday at Lake Tahoe and visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tonzi at the "Y" and Clay-Hansen at the Echo Lake station.

Stephen Besig of Polson spent the week here with his friend Al Sayles.

Mr. and Mrs. John Montgomery, the latter's mother, Mrs. Ora Stermer, and Calvin Christian spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Montgomery.

Mrs. Swift Berry and Betty returned Friday from San Francisco where they had spent several days.

Donnie Hook returned from the Boy Scout Camp near Lake Audrain after spending three weeks there.

Louis Hughes returned home last week from the camp.

Fred Newton of Crockett is spending a week's vacation with his mother, Mrs. Frank Lamm.

Mrs. E. Witter spent the weekend with her daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Donnellson, and family at Sacramento.

Wm. Felse, Jack McCuen, B. Bear of San Jose and De Witt Portal, boxing coach of the San Jose State were dinner guests of the Henry Carsten family recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Benny, Vernice Woldit, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mayfield of Sacramento attended the Timberino dance Saturday evening.

John and Allen McNie are on a week's camping trip with their aunt, Miss Henrietta Bolsch, of Oakland.

at Desolation Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Luce of Willows spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lamm.

Mrs. Allen Potts was hostess to the Thursday bridge club. Attending were Mesdames T. F. Lewis, W. Clifton, C. Ball, R. Crocker, F. Noyes, S. A. Bivans, H. Cullers, R. Dadds, R. Bickling, Anna Hooper and the hostess. High scores were held by Mesdames C. Ball and R. Crocker, low by F. Noyes. Cut Prize went to Mrs. S. A. Bivans.

Virginia Cullers returned home on Monday after a week's stay at Peavine Scout Camp.

Mr. and Mrs. James Henneberry of San Francisco spent the weekend with the latter's sister, Mrs. Allen Potts and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Montgomery and children spent the weekend with Mrs. Montgomery's mother, Mrs. J. Dahl, at Fair Oaks.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stermer of Pacific returned Friday with a new Pontiac car from Sacramento.

C. Carsten and son Ernest, Freeman Howard and Fred Mayhew of Clarksville spent Sunday fishing on the Rubicon. Hershall Snyder, Jack Williams and son were in Big Silver country and also killed a large rattlesnake.

Lillian Gordon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Mason of Houston, Texas, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Nyberg over the weekend.

Mrs. Wm. Harper and son of Los Angeles and Miss Virginia McCuen of Berkeley are visiting with the John Hughes family this week.

Remember to THINK wooden boxes. TALK wooden boxes and USE wooden boxes.

## LOTUS NEWS NOTES

Mrs. Edith Grother of Portola came up from Sacramento the past weekend and visited with her sister, Mrs. Rose Hansen of here. She returned to her home Monday.

Tom McGrath and wife of Oakland were also visitors at the Hansen and Leonard home.

Ralph LeVitt and wife of the Hangtown Antique Shop were out from Placerville Wednesday evening calling on some of their Lotus friends and attending to business matters.

Mrs. Marcella Herzog is home after a week's visit with relatives and friends in Sacramento.

Guy J. Chadwick and his wife of Coloma were seen on our streets Thursday afternoon. Mr. Chadwick is on his vacation and has been spending it at Coloma with his wife and son, Harry. The Chadwicks purchased the Ed Thole fruit ranch some time ago and have recently built a nice dwelling on the ranch, which is a fine improvement for the town of Coloma.

Mrs. J. N. Oviedo of Coloma accompanied by Mrs. Harry Reaside drove down to San Francisco Monday morning to visit with friends and get some of the bay city air. The ladies expected to return home Wednesday or Thursday evening.

Charlie Metcalfe of Coloma who has been employed as an oiler on one of the large dredgers here for some time past, has given up his work with the company and has gone to work in the large fruit packing plant at Placerville during the fruit season.

Robert Fay, his wife and two sons of Lake County, Oregon, and his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Fay, of Los Angeles, arrived in our town the past week and spent some time visiting with his uncle, Wesley, and wife, Bob and his folks are on their vacation riding around the country. They came from Lake Tahoe to Lotus on their return back to Oregon.

Rudy Stephen and Mrs. Hattie Carpenter of Placerville spent a few hours at the Rasmussen home Friday afternoon.

We are informed that our county school superintendent has appointed

ed Robt. Geogeline, Clarence Foreman and George Wagner as school trustees for the Coloma School district, a very good appointment. The trustees for the Uniontown school are Mrs. Violet Reaside, Dan Bassi and Herbert Herzog, the latter being appointed by our school superintendent as the trustees failed to hold their annual school election for the first time since the district was formed many years ago.

Alfred J. Christie, his wife and their grandson of San Francisco called on the writer last Saturday afternoon, after spending their two weeks vacation at Lake Tahoe and its surroundings. Alfred holds a responsible position in the ship yards at Oakland and is one of our California native sons, but not a member of the parlor. He was born at Coloma, Dec. 5 1879. He was quite a young lad when he left Coloma and came to see his old home and birthplace. They returned to their bay city home Monday morning.

H. E. Bjodstrup with his wife and family of Sacramento were callers at the Reaside home Sunday afternoon. Mr. Bjodstrup was the adjuster who took care of the adjustment for the fire last March for the Fireman's Fund Insurance Company and was much surprised to see the new home built by the Reasides.

Mrs. Chester Vaughn drove over to Plymouth the past week to help celebrate Philip Thomas Allen, Jr.'s first birthday returning home towards evening. Then she prepared dinner for Mr. and Mrs. Philip Allen who drove over later. After dinner pictures were taken of the birthday cake and Thomas, Jr.

The weather the past week has been very good, the mercury not going above the 94 degree mark, with no rain so far. During the month of August, 1940, there were mostly all clear days and no rain during the entire month.

Mrs. Florence Hines and her lady friend drove down to Sacramento Tuesday morning taking advantage of the cool weather and to do some shopping and sight seeing at the capital city. They returned home towards evening.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Kye of Burlingame, Calif., and Mrs. Ella Norris of Coloma were visiting in Lotus on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Farnham and family of Fair Oaks were up to spend a day recently with Alan B. Jones and wife.

Mrs. George Oviedo and children, Jeanne and George Jr., and their two house guests, Patricia and Albert Allen enjoyed the hospitality of the Reasides at dinner Saturday evening.

Phil Allen and wife and young son spent a portion of Sunday visiting former acquaintances in town.

Alec Leonardi and Jim Lowry, who have been working for H. Williamson on the South Fork bridge have returned to their respective homes upon completion of the job.

We have been asked time and again what year the county seat was at Coloma and when it was moved to Placerville. There is only one way to answer the question correctly and so we have applied to County Clerk Koletzke who reports that a county government was authorized by the state constitutional convention of 1849 and the first election was held on the first Monday in April of 1850, naming a county judge, district attorney, clerk, recorder, sheriff, assessor, coroner and treasurer. There were later local elections for constables and justices of the peace. The first session of the Probate court opened June 3, 1850, at Coloma and the last session at Coloma opened March 28, 1857. The first session in Placerville was on April 27, 1857. Thus, it appears from the record, that the county government moved from Coloma to Placerville some time between March 28 and April 27, 1857.

## MISSOURI FLAT NEWS NOTES

A lot of Missouri Flat folks have been taking their vacations lately. Roy Headington, Mrs. Wm. Dunn, Mrs. A. Potts and children and Robert and Loretta Headington are back again after spending a week in San Diego.

Bus Scarbrough was home for a short time recently. Mr. Scarbrough is in training at one of the camps on the coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Boles were home Monday night for a short stay.

Mable Engstrom has been sick with the mumps but is much better now.

We are very sorry indeed to hear of Mrs. Walter Stone's sickness. We wish a speedy recovery for her.

Callers at the Speegle home recently were Mrs. Nellie Young, Mrs. Ruth Phillips and Helen Phillips and Mr. C. Moulton.

The Wednesday-Thursday Club met at Mrs. Roy Headington's home Wednesday, August 6th.

## SHINGLE SPRINGS NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Scheiber and friends spent the weekend at Silver Creek fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollie Barton spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Barton's mother and a birthday dinner was served in his honor.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carpenter and Mrs. Jane Harvey of Placerville were among those present.

Mrs. L. S. Hall of Sacramento is spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Miller and will visit at Placerville and Camino before returning home.

Our school house has begun to look greatly improved with a new porch and other much needed improvements.

Elmore Taylor was a caller at the home of his brother over the weekend.

## GOLD HILL NEWS NOTES

Mrs. Harold Winji and baby daughter returned home from Placerville Sanatorium Saturday last and will spend a few days visiting with her family at Garden Valley.

Miss Betty Bergantz was a recent visitor at Roseville as were also Adolph Veerkamp and Mrs. Hazel Sizemore.

E. A. Merkeley of Sacramento recently delivered 30 tons of alfalfa hay at the Gold Hill Dairy.

Jay Burkett spent Sunday visiting friends at Marysville.

Leo Akin was transacting business in Sacramento recently.

Mrs. Helen Veerkamp and children were visitors at Gold Hill Sunday morning.

Miss Jean Switzer of Mendocino who has been a visitor at the Louis Veerkamp home returned home last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bergantz of Fresh Pond spent Sunday last at Louis Veerkamp's.

The fruit growers of this vicinity are busy moving pears to the pack-

## Japs May Move On Siberia

(Continued from Page One)

indicated that on the main fronts—Smolensk, Korosten, Belaya Tserkov and Estonia—fighting went on without much change in positions.

Washington sources said that the first American shipment of war supplies already en route to Russia, presumably via the Vladivostok route which skirts Japan.

Japan's intentions regarding Siberia and Vladivostok appeared clearly to be foreshadowed in a statement by a Japanese naval officer, appearing in the Tokyo press. This statement declared that Russia now faces an "internal revolution" and that Japan cannot be unconcerned in such a development.

The statement added that, because of the Russian developments, Japan stands on the verge of entry into the world conflict.

London announced that contact between the British fleet and Russian forces "in the north" has been effected in connection with air operations against northern Finnish and Norwegian ports. The report raised the possibility that the British may base some fleet units on Murmansk or Archangel for further operations in the Arctic sector.

There was action at the United States' newest northern base, too. Reykjavik, capital of Iceland, had a 40 minute air raid alarm as did Akureyri on the northern Icelandic coast. It was not revealed whether the alarm was a practice affair or whether German planes actually appeared. If German airplanes appeared, it marked the first time that American armed forces have had such an experience.

The Royal Air Force bombed Mannheim, Frankfurt and Karlsruhe in its night offensive against Germany. Berlin admitted that casualties were suffered and claimed six British planes were shot down.

ing plant at Placerville. George Volz of near Camino was a business caller at the Gold Hill Meat Plant on Monday.

Mrs. Schlein and daughter of the Garden Valley section made a business call at Gold Hill on Monday.

Miss Lois Miller has accepted a position at Sprouse-Reitz at Placerville.

Don Bennett of Kelsey has been helping Elwin Veerkamp the past week.

**Motorcycle Crash Kills Oakland Brothers**

MIAMI, Ariz., (P) — Edillio and Louis Guanella, Oakland, Calif., both about 20 years of age, were killed last night when their motorcycle skidded out of control on Highway 70, five miles west of Miami and crashed into a rocky hillside.

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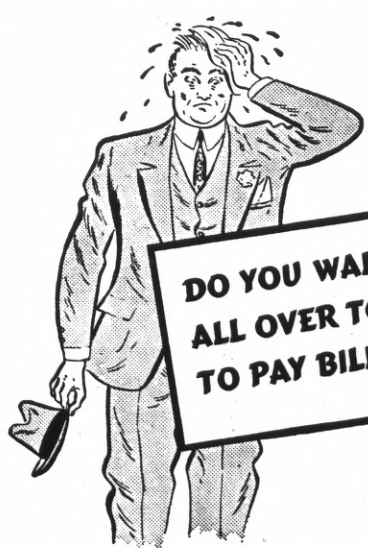


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## Recorder's Filings

July 26, 1941  
 Deed, Bernice Martin administratrix of estate of Gust Brown to Oscar T. Martin.  
 Deed, H. R. and Anna M. Pollock to Donald M. Higgins.  
 Release of lien, state forester, to W. A. Ross.  
 Quitclaim deed, Francis and Gale Patterson to Wilber E. and Maybelle A. Timm.  
 Deed, Title Insurance and Guaranty Co. to May Gibson Sherwood.  
 Deed, May Gibson Sherwood to R. W. Broecker.  
 Redemption certificate, City of Placerville to Nina G. Bergantz.

## Cyclist Gets Worst Of Highway Collision

An automobile and a motor cycle collided about 12:30 Wednesday on Highway 50 west of Weber Creek and the motorcyclist went to the hospital in the Orelli ambulance.

He was not seriously hurt, however. His name is Eric Anderson. He was westbound and suffered a general shaking up and bruises on his ribs and one foot.

The motorist, eastbound, was Walter Strosnider. He was unhurt.

Ed. Edelman has joined the staff of The Round Tent Store, effective Monday of this week.

## YOU'RE TELLING ME!

By WILLIAM RITT  
 Central Press Writer

A CANADIAN FISHERMAN, we read, knocked out a muskellunge he caught with a blow with his fist. The amazing part of the story is how did he locate the fish's jaw?

Due to the European struggle there is a shortage of the beans from which castor oil is extracted. Junior has now joined those who want this war to be fought to the finish.

Zadok Dumbkopf wants to know whether or not the sinking of neutral vessels by U-boats doesn't come under the category of sub-versive activity.

European statesmen no longer put their ear to the ground for

fear that some wandering tank might run over it.

The present European war appears to be based on a round-robin plan—you know, a set-up where sooner or later everybody clashes with everybody else.

Judging by reports of heavy British R. A. F. bombings the Watch on the Rhine seems to be getting the works.

Grandpappy Jenkins says the meaning of the words of the hit song, "Hut Sut Pawlson on the Rullerah," is perfectly clear to anyone who understands exactly what the present European situation is all about.

## Philippines in U. S. Service



Philippine scouts are shown manning a heavy calibre machinegun during recent maneuvers on the islands. All Philippine troops have been integrated into the United States Army by order of President Roosevelt in answer to Japan's threatening invasion of southern Indo-China only 700 miles away.

## Meat Needed On Hot Days

By BETSY NEWMAN

DON'T give up meat entirely in hot weather, unless, of course, your physician doesn't let you eat it. Eat less of everything, and be sure your meat dishes are accompanied by plenty of green vegetables, both cooked and raw, and by fruit.

**Today's Menu**  
 Barbecued Meat Loaves  
 Baked Potatoes Beet Greens  
 Raw Carrot Sticks  
 Spanish Cream Sliced Peaches  
 Iced Tea

**Barbecued Meat Loaves**  
 1/2 lb. ground chuck beef 1/2 cp. milk  
 1/2 lb. ground beef 1 tsp. salt  
 1/2 cp. bread crumbs 1 tsp. dash pepper  
 1/2 cp. onion 1 tsp. chopped onion

Combine ingredients in order named, shape into individual loaves and place in greased baking pan. Pour barbecue sauce over all and bake in moderate oven, 350° F., for 30 to 40 minutes. Serve hot or cold.

**Barbecue Sauce**  
 1/2 cp. catsup 1/2 tsp. chili  
 2 tbsps. vinegar 1/2 tsp. salt  
 1 tsp. Worcestershire sauce 1 tsp. chopped onion

Combine all and pour over meat loaves before baking.

**Spanish Cream**  
 1 1/2 cps. evaporated milk 1/2 cp. granulated sugar  
 1 1/2 cps. water 1/2 tsp. salt  
 3 eggs, separated 1 tsp. vanilla  
 2 tbsps. granulated gelatin

Blend evaporated milk with water if you use it, add gelatin to milk, allow to stand 15 minutes to soften, then add in double boiler. Add sugar and salt to well-beaten egg yolks, pour hot milk slowly over eggs and sugar, blending thoroughly. Return to double boiler and cook slowly over hot water, keeping well below boiling point (200° F.) with mixture at 180° F. Stir until mixture coats spoon and is slightly thickened, then add vanilla. Pour hot custard over stiffly beaten egg whites, beating constantly; pour into wet mold and chill. Serve with sliced ripe peaches and whipped cream, if you wish.

Reporter Gets Story on Self

FINDLAY, O. (UP)—Robert Rosenkrans, reporter for a daily newspaper, made his usual call on the local draft board. Yes, he was informed, one man will be sent to the army—yes, he was further informed, the selectee's name is Robert Rosenkrans.

Firemen were called to Pacific Street Wednesday afternoon to extinguish a grass fire.

## Caldor CCC Camp May Be Closed On August 15

The CCC Camp at Caldor, which during several years past has been stationed in winter months at Mosquito, will be closed and withdrawn from the county on August 15th, owing to lack of enrollment.

Confirming the report during the week, officials said that withdrawal of the camp is "a virtual certainty." Defense work and other features of the defense program appear to have depleted the available supply of men to man the camp.

While many will rejoice at the improvement in the national employment picture, the withdrawal of the camp from the county is regrettable in view of the excellent work done by the CCC in forestry and related work.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Hughes, their daughter Marilyn, and Gloria Hallberg, from Turlock, are visiting the Graham Mays for several days. Mr. May is the new manager at the Western Union.

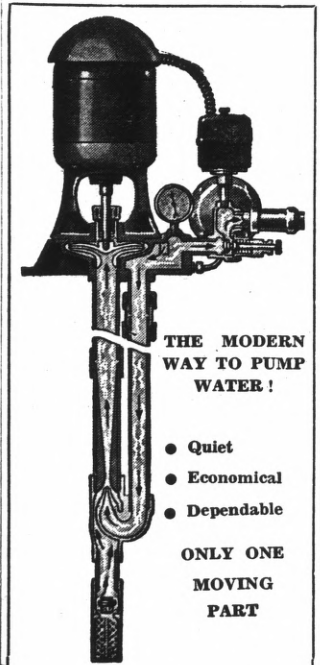
## CONSPIRACY TRIAL OF JUDGE ENTERS EIGHTH DAY

PHILADELPHIA — (UP)—Trial of Retired Circuit Judge J. Warren Davis and Morgan S. Kaufman, Scranton attorney, on charges of conspiracy to obstruct justice and defraud the government, entered its eighth day today with the prosecution still attempting to trace five \$1000 bills directly to Davis.

The government charges that the bills were part of \$27,500 William Fox, former millionaire movie magnate, testified he gave to Davis as unsecured loans in 1937, while Fox's bankruptcy proceedings were pending in the third circuit court of appeals.

She's 96, Gets Insurance

WINDSOR, Mass. (UP)—In 1894 Mrs. Phoebe Ellen Turner bought a \$1000 straight life insurance policy. Now 96 years old and the oldest woman here, she collected on the policy for the company tables officially assume that 96 is the end of life and consider her "life" policy matured.



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## New Challenger For Louis Is On Way Up

NEW YORK (UP)—Mello Bettina, dangerous southpaw heavyweight contender from Beacon N. Y., has closed for two California fights that may boost him into a November title battle with Joe Louis.

Bettina's manager, Jimmy Grippo, completed negotiations last night for the hard hitting Italian to engage in 10 round bouts with Pat Valentino at the San Francisco Auditorium, Aug. 25, and with Turkey Thompson at Los Angeles, Sept. 13.

## Robbery Murder Of Bay Grocer Is Confessed

OGDEN, Ut., (UP)—Two youths with a spotty record of petty crime, have confessed to the killing of a Hayward, Calif., grocery store owner last week because he called for help instead of submitting to robbery. Deputy District Attorney L. E. Dayton of Alameda county, California, said early today.

The boys are Walter Lee, 15, and Everett Washburn, 16, both of Oakland, Calif. They were apprehended here Monday while eating lunch on the city hall lawn.

## Four Brothers With Colors

CHOCORUA, N. H., (UP)—Four sons of Mr. and Mrs. Adbert Fortier are scattered through the various armed services and a fifth, is sitting on the front doorstep waiting for his draft questionnaire. Meanwhile a cousin, Edward of Laconia, is on his way to Panama to bolster Canal Zone defense forces.

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